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The 1980 edition of the Guinness Book of World Records

The 1980 edition of the Guinness Book of World Records is a treasure trove of fascinating and remarkable stories. Here are a few highlights:

1. **Longest Fingernails**: Lee Redmond from the USA held the record for the longest fingernails on a pair of hands. Her nails measured a total of 28 feet 4.5 inches.
2. **Tallest Man**: Robert Wadlow, also known as the Alton Giant, was the tallest man ever recorded. He stood at an astonishing height of 8 feet 11.1 inches.

3. **Heaviest Twins**: Billy Leon and Benny Loyd McCrary, known as the McGuire twins, were the heaviest twins ever recorded. They weighed a combined total of 1,468 pounds.
4. **Longest Hair**: Xie Qiuping from China held the record for the longest hair. Her hair measured 18 feet 5.54 inches.

These are just a few of the many incredible records documented in the 1980 edition